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Washington, D.C. 20231 on the date shown below. September 4, 2002 PATENT Docket No. GC593 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of Group Art Unit: 1651 Dyson et al. Examiner: Michael V. Meller Serial No.: 09/435,461 Filed: November 5, 1999 For: ENZYMES USEFUL FOR CHANGING THE PROPERTIES OF POLYESTER REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Commissioner for Patents **Box RCE** Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir: This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 1. Previously submitted Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F. R. § 1.116 previously filed on _______.
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2.	a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period ofthree months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F. R. § 1.17(i) required)
	b. Other
3.	Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F. R. § 1.17(e) is required by C.F. R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed. a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048. i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F. R. § 1.17(e) ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F. R. § 1.136 § 1.17) iii. Other Check in the amount of \$ enclosed c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)
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